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SUBJECT: LEAHY VETTING FOR PARA-MILITARY TRAINING EXERCISE,
APRIL-JUNE 2008

¶1. This is an action request. See para three.

¶2. The following candidate has been selected for participation in the Para-military training exercise to be held from April 27 to June 3, 2008. Post vetting was completed on January 10, 2007. Post requests that vetting be completed by February 7, 2008, to provide sufficient time for processing. Post requests the department conduct Leahy vetting for the following candidate:

Name: Mohammad Mizanur Rahman
Rank: Lt. Colonel
Unit: 39th Rifle Battallion
Unit Location: Chapainawabgonj
Personal Number: BA-2328
Date of Birth: June 5, 1962
Place of Birth: Chapainawabgonj, Bangladesh

¶3. Post requests that the Department of State authorize post to make the following statement to the relevant DOD units:
"Embassy verifies that the Department of State possesses no credible information of gross violations of human rights by the above named individual or unit."

¶4. Post Human Rights Officer is Luke Zahner, unclass
e-mail:zahnerlv@state.gov.

¶5. COMMENT: Embassy has no information to indicate this individual or any unit he has served in has been involved in gross violations of human rights.
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